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REF: BRISBANE'S OM OCT. 8, 1974, STATE 275143, 16 DEC 1974.

1. THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL OF PRISONS, MR. A.J.S. WHITNEY, AND
UNDER SECRETARY OF DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND WELFARE SERVICES
AND SPORT, M.C.O. JOHNSON, PLAN TRAVEL TO U.S. SEPARATELY
APRIL AND MAY VISITING PRISONS AND DETENTION CENTERS.

2. FOLLOWING ARE SUGGESTED ITINERARIES FOR 2 SEPARATE PROGRAMS
LISTING INSTITUTIONS WHITNEY AND JOHNSON DESIRE VISIT.

3. FOR WHITNEY: SUNDAY 13 APRIL ARRIVE SACRAMENTO; MONDAY 14
APPOINTMENTS WITH STATE PRISON OFFICIALS IN SACRAMENTO; TUESDAY
15 DUEL VACATIONAL CENTER AT TRACEY; WEDNESDAY 16 VACCAVILLE;
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY 17 AND 18 STOCKTON YOUTH CENTER; SATURDAY
19 TRAVEL TO LOS ANGELES; MONDAY 21 VISIT TEHACHAPI; TUESDAY 22
VISIT CHINO INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE; WEDNESDAY 23 SAN DIEGO CORRECT-
UONAL CENTER; THURSDAY 24 TRAVEL TO CHICAGO; FRIDAY 25 APPOINTMENTS
WITH PRISON OFFICIALS IN CHICAGO; MONDAY 25 VIENNA, ILLINOIS,
CORRECTIONAL INSTITUION; TUESDAY 29 MARION MAXIMUM SECURITY
INSTITUTION; WEDNESDAY 30 WORK RELEASE CENHLR AT CARPENDALE;
THURSDAY MAY 1 OPEN DAY FOR ADDITIONAL CHICAOG APPOINTMENTS;
FRIDAY 2 TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON; MONDAY 5 ROBERT F. KENNEDY YOUTH
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CENTER, VIRGINIA; TUESDAY 6 APPOINTMENTS WITH APPROPRIATE

FEDERAL PRISON OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON; WEDNESDAY 7 TRAVEL TO NEW YORK IN MORNING VISIT TO REMAND AND RECEIVAL CENTER IN AFTER-NOON; THURSDAY 8 VISIT TO RIKERS ISLAND; FRIDAY 9 VISIT YARDVILLE; MONDAY 12 FREE; TUESDAY 13 DEPART FOR CANADA.

4. FOR JOHNSON: WEDNESDAY MAY 7 ARRIVE SACRAMENTO; THURSDAY 8 VISIT VACCAVILLE AND DUEL; FRIDAY 9 VISIT STOCKTON YOUTH CENTER, EVENING FLIGHT TO LOS ANGELES; SATURDAY 10 MORNING FLIGHT TO SAN DIEGO VISIT SAN DIEGO METROPOLITAN CORRECTIONAL CENTER, EVENING FLIGHT TO LOS ANGELES; SUNDAY 11 FLIGHT TO CHICAGO; MONDAY 12 MARION MAXIMUM SECURITY INSTITUTION; TUESDAY 13 WORK RELEASE CENTER AT CARPENDALE EVENING FLIGHT TO WASHINGTON, D.C.; WEDNESDAY 14 MORNING VISIT TO ROBERT F. KENNEDY YOUTH CENTER, VIRGINIA; AFTERNOON APPOINTMENTS WITH FEDERAL PRISON OFFICIALS WITH PERSONNEL AND RECRUITMENT RESPONSIBILITIES, AND WITH APPROPRIATE FEDERAL OFFICE WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR PUBLICATIONS, FILMS AND OTHER MATERIAL. EVENING FLIGHT TO NEW YORK; THURSDAY 15 VISIT TO REMAND AND RECEIVAL CENTER AND APPOINTMENT WITH DR. JEROME BEHER, DIRECTOR OF CHILD CARE STUDIOS, INSTITUTE FOR CHILD MENTAL HEALTH; FRIDAY 16 VISIT TO RIKERS ISLAND; SATURDAY AND SUNDAY 17 AND 18 FREE; MONDAY 19 FLIGHT TO CANADA.

5. SEVERAL SPECIFIC COMMENTS FOLLOW CONCERNING THE INDIVIDUAL ITINERARIES. FOR JOHNSON: (A) MAY 8, IS IT POSSIBLE TO VISIT BOTH VACCAVILLE AND DUEL ONE DAY FOR GENERAL OVERVIEW TYPE VISIT? (B) MAY 11, WOULD IT BE BETTER TO STAY IN MARION THAN CHICAGO FOR VISITS TO CARPENDALE AND MARION INSTITUTIONS?

6. JOHNSON AND WHITNEY WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT MAKING FIRM APPOINTMENTS, IF POSSIBLE, WITH OFFICIALS IN VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS LISTED. NOTIFICATION OF SPECIFIC POINT OF CONTACT IN EACH INSTITUTION APPRECIATED.

7. ANY GUIDANCE AS TO GROUND TRANSPORTATION NECESSARY TO VISIT INSTITUTIONS SUCH AS MARION, CARPENDALE, RFK CENTER, ETC. APPRECIATED.

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SUCH EXTENSIVE ITINERARIES. HOWEVER, FINAL PROPOSALS FROM JOHNSON, WHITNEY ONLY JUST RECEIVED DUE TO TEMPORARY POSTPONEMENT OF PREVIOUS TRAVEL PLANS CAUSED BY QUEENSLAND DEPARTMENTAL REORGANIZATION FOLLOWING STATE ELECTIONS. IN VIEW OF TIME FACTOR, JOHNSON AND WHITNEY UNDERSTAND THAT DEPARTMENT MUST BE GIVEN CONSIDERABLE LATITUDE TO MAKE APPROPRIATE CHANGES WHERE NECESSARY IN ITS ATTEMPT TO FORMULATE A FIRM SCHEDULE OF APPOINTMENTS.

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